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Counter Revolution On Headed by Prince Ching

Brussels, July 9.—A dispatch from Shanghai received here says that, according to a high Chinese official, the two legations which were still holding out on July 2 were the object of incessant attacks. There had been some losses among the troops guarding the legations, but the diplomats were safe.

The dispatch also says the loyal troops under Prince Ching, who is heading a counter revolution, had attacked the rebels in Peking.

The Governor of Shan Tung, according to the same authority, is reported to have declined to obey Prince Tuan's orders to seize Nankin.

Further dispatches from Shanghai say the legations were holding out on July 3, that the rebels had been repulsed with a loss of 2000, and that the Boxers were discouraged. They also report that a Chinese journal confirms the announcement of Prince Ching's counter revolution in Peking.

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March On to Peking Is Demanded By America

Washington, July 9.—In consequence of a telegram received by Minister Wu this morning, stating that all the foreign Ministers at Peking except the German Minister were safe on July 3, Secretary of State Hay will attempt to move the powers into making a dash for Peking to rescue the foreigners.

When Mr. Wu called at the department today with this hopeful dispatch Secretary Hay at once communicated with the President by direct wire, which runs from the State Department to Canton, and suggested that there might yet be time, if prompt action by all the powers were taken, to save Minister Conger and the other foreigners. President McKinley directed that diplomatic action for a dash to Peking

FISH PLANTING IN HAWAII

Secretary Cooper Will Endeavor to Enlist the Commission's Interest.

He Hopes to Secure a Visit From Member of Staff—Supposed Advantages of Pearl Harbor for Pisciculture.

Secretary H. E. Cooper was found at his desk today, immersed in a ponderous Pub. Doc., a Report of the Fish Commission of the United States. He said its contents were especially interesting to him at this time, when it was contemplated to invite the attention of the Commission to Hawaiian waters.

"Here is one very interesting article on the results of attempts to acclimate fish in the Pacific States. I see in a list of fishes tried there our Hawaiian aha, but I have not yet come across particulars as to its success. There are 34 varieties listed, including the lobster, oyster and clam. The rest are fishes and eel."

"What plan do you intend to adopt for introducing new fishes into Hawaiian waters, Mr. Cooper?"

"In the first place," the Secretary of the Territory replied, "I am trying to interest the Commissioner by sending him a report on our own fish—as to their habits and characteristics, and the waters in which they are found."

"Then I shall send him analyses of the waters in different places, data of temperature, difference of bottoms, food on which different varieties thrive, etc."

"I shall try to secure a visit to these islands from some member of the staff of the Commission. My hope is to gain the importation of fish that would do well here."

"It seems to me that Pearl harbor would be very favorable to many kinds of fish from other waters. The water at the head of the lochs is different from that near the mouth. The sea life is different, the bottom is different. I do not know whether or not the shark is a foe against which we shall have to contend."

The Florence Oil.

Chas. T. Wilder, president of the Florence Oil Co., writes a letter of information for the many shareholders in Honolulu. At a depth of 940 feet the boring apparatus met with an accident, but although the well had to be abandoned it proved the presence of oil. Between 600 and 900 feet the bore went through heavy oil sands and considerable gas was emitted. Another well was started and is now down 400 feet. Mr. Wilder and other officers of the Florence are very hopeful of a paying strike.

The Raymonds.

Dr. J. H. Raymond and wife and the younger Misses Dowsett are in Chicago visiting and expect to go to New York, returning to Honolulu sometime next year. The doctor has been treated by Dr. Senn, an eminent physician and one of the instructors in Rush Medical College. He writes to a friend saying the treatment has done him a world of good and he hopes to be well in three months. Dr. Raymond will put in a while studying operations in hospitals.

Great sale of boots and shoes at 5 cents on the dollar at L. B. Kerr & Co.'s shoe house, corner of Fort and Hotel streets.

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Rumors of Suicide And
Poisoning.

Confidence in Safety of Legations Returns—Counter Revolution in Favor of Foreigners Started—Prospects That Difficulty May Be Settled by Diplomacy—No Light But Darkness Is Not So Deep—Fighting at Tien Tsin Continues With Small Losses.

Shanghai, July 10.—News from official sources was received at 10 o'clock last night to the effect that the Empress Dowager had on June 30th resumed the reins of government and appointed Yung Lu Prime Minister. It is said that she sent a dispatch to Nanking by courier at the rate of 100 miles per day, thanking the Viceroy of the Yang Tso Kiang provinces for their loyalty and recommending that they protect foreigners at any cost.

Legations Find Friends.

London, July 10.—Chinese official sources furnish another surprise today in announcing that the Dowager Empress, who had been reported within two weeks, dead, fled, poisoned and hopelessly mad, has resumed the reins of power. The date given is June 30, the same on which the wholesale massacre of foreigners is alleged to have occurred.

The telegram of Sheng, the administrator of telegraphs and railroads to the Chinese Minister at Washington, Wu Ting Fang, saying the Imperial government is protecting the Legations appears to fit in with the dispatch from Shanghai of this morning, particularly with reference to the alleged directions given by the Dowager Empress relative to the protection of foreigners. At the same time people continue to ask why, if the legations are protected, the Ministers are not permitted to communicate with the outer world. Sheng's expressed fear that the food and ammunition of the legations are exhausted are counteracted by the news that Prince Ching, the commander of the Manchu field force, is revictualing them, besides which it is now known that in the last resort there are available for food several hundred ponies, usually kept within the walls of the British Legation.

Meanwhile, according to the Japanese Legation here, the Japanese by no means share the general opinion that the advance on Peking must be indefinitely postponed. The officials assert that the Japanese have no intention of halting at Taku or Tien Tsin, but propose to advance on Peking during the present week. Their military authorities express the opinion that 20,000 of their troops, in addition to the international forces, already available, will suffice to force an entry into the Chinese capital.

Emperor William despatched the German warship Buzzard from Kiel for China this morning, while the German cruisers Geier and Seeadler have been ordered to proceed to China as rapidly as possible from their American and Australian stations, respectively.

It has been learned by the Associated Press that the Chinese Legation here, though apparently unable to communicate directly with Peking is getting news from there indirectly. The officials of the legation declare the present trouble is entirely the work of Prince Tuan and that the government, the Dowager Empress and the Chinese generally are against the Boxers.

The officials also say they have reason to hope that the situation at Peking is improving and that Prince Ching will succeed in protecting the foreigners. They scouted the stories of the massacre of the people in the legations and the poisoning of the Emperor and Dowager Empress, expressing the opinion that Prince Ching and the loyal Viceroy could be best assisted by the promised dispatch of international reinforcements and the promise of help in the formation of a strong government.

Neither official nor press despatches warrant this conclusion, but there are hopeful signs in several quarters of the clouded sky.

The Empress Dowager is evidently playing off Prince Ching against Prince Tuan and throwing out an anchor to windward. This is a fact which impresses the diplomats here. They read with composure the details of desperate fighting at Tien Tsin and the repulse of the Chinese attacks upon the allied troops. They assert that skirmishes in which casualties to European and Americans are trivial are of no account when there is practical evidence that the Chinese forces are

divided and that the legations are allowed to hold their ground.

Belated details of the fighting at Tien Tsin are conflicting and untrustworthy, but there are many signs that the anti-foreign movement is weakening, that the allied forces are preparing to make a successful advance upon the capital, and that the diplomats in European capitals are not wasting their time, but are doing useful work in a most practical way.

Tien Tsin Bombardment.

(Associated Press Special.)
New York, July 10.—A dispatch to the Herald from Chefoo, dated Sunday, says:

Refugees who have arrived from Tien Tsin bring the following information:

The Chinese resumed the bombardment of the foreign quarter last Tuesday and non-combatants were ordered that day to leave. The bombardment is described as the worst yet experienced, but there were no civilian casualties, though many marvelous escapes are reported. A force of British and Russians tried to silence the Chinese guns, but retired without effecting their object.

Two guns from the Terrible silenced the Chinese guns on Thursday, but the artillery duel recommenced on Friday.

Two hundred refugees, mostly women and children, left Thursday and Friday in lighters, towed by launches and reached Taku safely. Small bodies of Russians and Japanese were met at short intervals all the way down. To their presence was due the pacific demeanor of the Chinese. Several burning villages were passed.

They are supposed to have been set on fire by Russians, who occupy a fort midway between Tien Tsin and Taku, where they have a torpedo boat. Seven hundred Russians, are occupying the railway and station at Tong Yu. Japanese troops were landing at Taku. The Yorktown took twenty-five American refugees on board. The Germans went aboard a German warship, while the British were transferred to the Hainchi and the Hai Loong. The former has reached Chefoo with fifty refugees on the way to Shanghai. The latter, with 150, is proceeding to Nagasaki.

The British cruiser Alacrity called at Chefoo this morning from Wei Hai Wei to obtain more guns for Tien Tsin which is weak in artillery. The immediate object of the allies is to take the native city and stop the bombardment and sniping.

Outlook More Hopeful.

(Associated Press Special.)
New York, July 10.—A dispatch to the Tribune from London says: While there is no light there is a sense of departing darkness in China. The Southern Viceroy, who have taken a line of action of their own, understand what is going on both in Peking and in Europe, and are not in sympathy with Prince Tuan and the Boxers.

They have been waiting for a counter movement against the military usurpation, and now that a reaction has set in against massacre and revolution they are asserting their authority and sending to the palace information respecting the armaments of the foreign powers and the combined forces of the civilization which Prince Tuan and the Empress have defied.

If little trustworthy news comes out of Peking it does not follow that a good deal of truth and common sense are not going in through the foreign consulates and provincial centers. For this reason some of the best informed men in and out of Parliament are now convinced that the Legations will be spared, and that a truce will be ordered from the palace and the China question adjusted by diplomatic means.

GOOD TIME IN KANSAS

Hawaii's Democratic Delegates Return to California.

Prince David Interviewed—Were Chaperoned by California Delegates—Say Nothing of Lack of Prominence Given Hawaii.

San Francisco, July 10.—The Hawaiian delegates to the Democratic National Convention at Kansas City, Prince David, W. H. Cornwell, John D. Holt and John H. Wiegman, returned from the East yesterday en route for home. They are at the Palace. Last night the Hawaiian band serenaded them in the rooms of Prince David. The Prince is highly pleased with the treatment.

Call on McKinley.

New York, July 9.—The Republican delegates leave here tonight for Canton, O., where they will call on President McKinley. They will leave San Francisco for Honolulu by the Rio, July 19.

accorded his associates and himself at Kansas City, and is enthusiastic over Bryan's nomination and what he saw and heard in the great Democratic Convention.

"It was my first experience at a national political convention," said the Prince last night, "and it is something I will never forget. It was a big gathering of able, earnest men, who knew what they were doing and having plenty of ideas upon which to base their action and work. The loyalty and enthusiasm shown for Mr. Bryan was remarkable. I do not pretend to speak upon the issues as set forth in the platform. Senator Hill impressed me very favorably. Chairman Jones of the National Committee is evidently a man of resources. Messrs. Tarpey, Maguire and White, from California, were a trio much sought after by the leading delegates from other States in important consultations. Everybody was as kind and courteous as possible to us, and, of course, the California delegates in making us their particular guests did an act which we can never forget. We only hope for an opportunity to repay in some measure their great kindness."

THE NATURALIZATION LIST

Yesterday and today the Supreme Court admitted the following named persons as citizens of the United States: V. J. Fagerroos, John W. MacDonald, Samuel Johnson, H. H. Renton, C. F. G. Rowland, F. Wittrock, Demetrius George Camarinos, Ludwig Hillebrand, H. L. Evans, Arthur Coyne, Edmund C. Shorey, Charles David, Peter Rudolf, Nelson and Chas. H. Thurston—14.

Six petitions for naturalization were pending when the Supreme Court adjourned its special term sine die this forenoon, viz: John Bush, Thomas Honan, S. J. Harris, Thomas J. King, Charles Oss and Antonio C. de Souza. These will have to wait until the September term.

NARROW ESCAPE FOR YARICK.

Yarick, a man who has done odd jobs about town for some time past, is fortunate that his body is not in an undertaker's shop. It was simply blind luck that saved him from being dashed to pieces at about 1:15 this afternoon.

Yarick was in one of the clug stables phaetons near Alapai street on King when the liquor which he had been imbibing during the morning got in its work. Yarick went to sleep and the horse, becoming frightened and having no one to guide it, ran down King street toward town at a gallop.

Outside Kawaiahao church, Patrolman Kelly gave chase and continued as far as Alakea street. He would have caught the horse had not the animal suddenly turned up Alakea and made straight for the steam roller. Instead of clashing with this, the horse stopped, swerved toward the sidewalk and cramped the buggy between the telephone post and the fence, smashing shafts, wheels and other parts. Men were soon at the animal's head.

It was not long before Yarick crawled out of the back of the phaeton without a scratch and asked in a dazed way: "What's the matter?" He had been asleep to the time of the collision.

"Cabby" Brown Married.

Cards have been received by today's mail announcing the marriage of Charles Augustus Brown and Mrs. Gertrude Lawrence Adams in New York city on June 27, 1900.

A complete new stock of gents shirts, collars and cuffs at L. B. Kerr's, Queen street.

Oregon Off Rocks And Towed to Dry Dock

New York, July 9.—A special to the Herald from Washington says: Unless international complications should arise, Secretary Long will not order the battleship Oregon to proceed to Taku when her repairs have been completed. Upon arrival at Kure, to which point he is taking the vessel for docking, Captain G. F. F. Wilde, commanding, will order a Board of Survey to determine what repairs are necessary.

It may be that Naval Constructor Hobson, who is undergoing treatment at Yokohama will, if well enough, go to Kure to supervise the repairs. It is understood that the Oregon will be retained in Japanese waters and will be available for service in China should the international situation require her presence. The authorities do not propose, however, again to risk this valuable ship by sending her into the gulf of Pe Chi Li without need for such action.

BOERS RETIRE ON PICKSBURG.

(Associated Press Special.)
Senegal, Orange River Colony, July 9, Monday.—An extended reconnaissance today resulted in the discovery that the Boers had evacuated all their positions around Senegal. Numbers appear to have gone toward Picksburg and the remainder in the direction of Bethlehem. The British commanders express the opinion that the retirement of the Boers foreshadows a speedy end of the war in this section of the country.

Neill's Last Appearance.

The last performance but one to be given here by the Neill company will be the presentation of "Jim the Penman" this evening at the Hawaiian Opera House. The drama is one of the most successful that has ever been upon the American boards and will doubtless be presented for its full worth this evening. Mr. Neill will appear as Redwood, the detective.

The farewell performance will take place Thursday evening when "Mr. Barnes of New York" will be the play. The sale of seats has been very large.

Morg British Troops.

New York, July 7.—A cable to the Sun from London says: It is understood that the War Office is preparing to dispatch nearly 40,000 men to China. These are to be drawn from India, South Africa and England, chiefly the latter. The Government has been purchasing arms and ammunition for some time and recently ordered 2,000,000 pounds of rifle ammunition.

Sniped Ninety Goats.

A party of five young Nimrods went up to Harry von Holt's place, at the head of Nanakuli gulch, and popped over ninety goats. The hunters were Henry Damon, Charles Judd, Fred Alexander, Gerrit Judd and Albert Waterhouse.

German Squadron Sails.

Kiel, July 9.—The German East Asiatic squadron sailed this morning for China. Emperor William and Prince Henry of Prussia witnessed the departure of the warships.

FOURTH OF JULY.

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